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# **Proposed Tax Revision Means More City Revenue**

Under proposed revisions in Maryland's tax structure, there could be an increase in State aid for Greenbelt of \$4,600. According to the *Evening Star*, this would be part of a \$10.7 million gain to Prince Georges County, resulting from changes recommended last week by a Maryland legislature fiscal committee, headed by State Senate Majority Leader Harry R. Hughes. The fiscal measure will be submitted to the General Assembly convening Jan. 19.

Residents in Prince Georges, however, would be required to contribute an additional \$14.7 billion through a proposed 3 to 6 percent graduated income tax. Maryland now taxes income at a flat 3 percent. Citizens of Montgomery and Baltimore counties would also find their tax increase exceeding the revenues returned to their respective counties. Residents of Baltimore City would especially benefit by the new plan.

City manager James K. Giese, Mayor Edgar Smith and Councilmen William Hoff and Richard Pilski will represent Greenbelt at a Baltimore meeting of the Municipal League tomorrow at 2 p.m. to consider the Hughes Committee recommendations. A luncheon meeting of the League will precede the hearing.

The Hughes Committee recommended a new formula for distributing a portion of each county's state aid among its municipalities. Aid to towns would be based on the amounts of their local taxes and expenditures for road construction. Each municipality would be assured that it would receive at least as much as it now gets in State help, plus local business property taxes.

Other local Prince Georges county towns that would stand to benefit would be Bowie (\$46,000), Glenarden (\$2,000), Eagle Harbor (\$300), and Edmonston (\$100).

#### **Curiosity and a Killed Cat**

Behind the wail of the ambulance siren lies a human drama that is sometimes more comic than tragic. One day last week, according to City Manager James Giese, a lady was driving to S. Klein's department store to return two dresses. On the way she ran over a cat and killed it.

Much distressed, she pulled off the road and examined the unlucky feline, but it wore no identification tag. She thereupon transferred it to her car — perhaps hoping that later investigation might reveal the name of the dead pet's owner—and packed it in the S. Klein's box from which she had removed the dresses.

She parked near the store and went to do her errand, leaving the box on the front seat. When she returned, a crowd had gathered around the car and an ambulance was standing by with flashing lights.

A female thief, noticing the box, had broken into the car. Before making off with it, her curiosity overcame her. She peeked . . . she shrieked . . . she fainted dead away.

Bystanders called an ambulance, and the cat was out of the bag.

#### Young Adults' Ski Trip

Reservations with a small deposit for the Poconos ski trip on the weekend of Feb. 4, will be accepted until Jan. 16 by St. Hugh's Young Adults Club. Lodgings and main meals will be furnished at a moderate price for the three days. All members are asked to attend the General Meeting in the Church Hall at 10:30 a.m. on Sunday, Jan. 16, for further information; call Steve Smith, 474-4247.

## The Police Blotter

Two young children were taken to Prince Georges Hospital during Christmas week suffering from accidental poisoning. One, an 18-month-old boy, drank liquid glue; the other, a 20-month-old boy, consumed an undertermined number of aspirin tablets. Both were released after their stomach had been pumped.

Five Greenbelt police officers and a clerk graduated Dec. 14 from Hyattsville's In-Service Training School for Police Officers, which they had been attending since Sept. 28. They are: Sgt. Austin Green; Officers Joseph Fuca, John Krob, Ralph Bennett, and Carl Goodwin; and Clinton G. Davis, clerk.

Police Officer Paul Reamy recovered a stolen automobile last week for an owner who hadn't realized it was missing. The owner, a Riverdale man, had left it with the keys, at a service station for repairs. When it disappeared from the station, the attendants assumed the owner had picked it up.

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The car was abandoned on Hillside Rd. when it ran out of gas. No damage was reported.

The Strange Case of the Missing Wig. Police were baffled by the mysterious disappearance of a lady's wig from the wig box in her closet. There were no signs of breaking and entering, and the victim stated she had not entertained any large groups lately. The wig, valued at \$250, was described as champagne blond, handmade, and long.

"This looks ike a tough one," stated Police Chief William Lane. "It's pretty difficult to go around snatching at people's hair to see if it comes off."

Hair today, gone tomorrow? In this case, Crime appears toupee.

#### Woman's Club News

The monthly board meeting will take place Thursday, Jan. 6, at the home of Mrs. Edwin Riggs at 8 p.m.

The membership meeting will be held Jan. 13, at 8 p.m. in the social hall of the Community Church, Hillside and Crescent Roads. An illustrated talk on Hawaii will be given by Mrs. Bernice Fink.

On Jan. 20 at 8:15 p.m. the Fine Arts Department will sponsor a film on French and Italian foods, presented by Mr. Taylor of the Washington Gas Light Co. This meeting will be held in the Co-op Hospitality Room.

#### **Bottles & Papers Needed**

The newly chartered Cub Pack 202 will have a collection drive for empty soda bottles and newspapers this Saturday, Jan. 8, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. Please put items on back porch (service entrance) for collection. The Pack is desperately in need of funds in order to operate their program. Thirty-eight boys comprise six dens with Jim Linkenhoker (474-4766) serving as

#### WHAT GOES ON

Sat., Jan. 8, 10 a.m. - 12 Ballet Registration, Youth Center Gymnastics Registration, Youth Center

10 a.m. - 1 p.m. Cub Scout Pack 202, Collection Drive

Mon., Jan. 10, 8 p.m. City Council Meeting, Municipal Building

Tues., Jan. 11 - 8 p.m. - Meeting of the Citizens For A Planned Greenbelt, Municipal Building Wed., Jan. 12, 1:30 p.m. 'Cake Decorating" Co-op Hospitality

Thurs., Jan. 13, 7:45 p.m. G.H.I. Board Meeting, Hamilton Place

8 p.m. Woman's Club Membership Meeting, Social Hall, Community Church

Fri., Jan. 14, 8:30 p.m. Duplicate Bridge, Co-op Hospitality Room.

#### **City Notes**

Virtually all complaints concerning the city's special trash collection service have the same refrain: pickups are much too slow in coming. So City Manager James Giese did a doubletake the other day when a complaint of another sort came in: the pickup was much too fast. Seems a citizen had a large accumulation of trash to dispose of. He was in the process of transporting it from the rear of his house to the curbside. He had already carried two armloads around and was in the rear to get the third. But while he was there, the trash truck stopped, picked up the deposit by the curbside, and whisked out of sight before the homeowner returned with the third load.

City workers were busy on Monday removing Christmas decorations from the official tree and from the front of the municipal building.

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A contractor engaged by Charles Burton Builders, developers of the Lakecrest subdivision, has been patching the pavement and making alterations and repairs to curbing on Lakeside, between Lakecrest Circle and Maplewood Ct. All aspects of road construction in priate developments must meet city standards. The current alterations along Lakeside are to bring the road into conformity with these standards.

No new developments have occured in the process of getting the traffic light installed at the entrance to the Giant Store on Greenbelt Rd. The next step is for the Giant Corporation to negotiate with the State Roads Commission, which will install the light. If the experience with the traffic light at the Edmonston Rd. intersection is any precedent, two months may elapse between the notification of approval for the light and it actual installation.

In the meantime, city officials are expecting to meet soon with representatives from Berwyn Heights to discuss whether that city will participate in the maintenance costs for the light.

City Manager Giese was the only city official to take an extended leave during the holiday season. He spent about ten days with his parents at their home in Elm Grove, Wisconsin.

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#### **CFPG** Committee to Meet

The Steering Committee of the Citizens for a Planned Greenbelt will meet on Tuesday, Jan. 11, at 8 p.m. in the Municipal Building. The public is invited. The committee meets on the second and fourth Tuesdays of each month.

## Prince Georges Legislators Faced With Crowded Agenda

When the Maryland legislature reconvenes on Jan. 19 for its annual 70-day session, Prince Georges senator and 10 delegates will face a busy time. In a series of 4 public hearings held Dec. 6 - 9, 1965, the county's citizens presented the delegation with a long legislative list, ranging from anti-blockbusting laws to free kindergartens.

In the first hearing, held in Laurel, the County Commissioners presented their requests for bond issues for 1967. All such bond requests have to be approved by the legislature. The request amounted to \$30 million, of which 25 were allocated to schools, 3 for highways and 2 for library expansion, including \$680,000 for a library in Greenbelt. Two weeks later the commissioners added \$2,900,000 to their request, to cover the county's share in land acquisition for the George Washington Memorial Parkway between Wilson Bridge and Fort Washington. This year's bond issue, authorised in 1965, amounts to \$38.1 million of which 25 are for schools, 6 for recon-

#### **Auto Inspection Starts**

Maryland's new motor vehicle inspection law goes into effect on January 1, 1966. The new law provides for inspection, by licensed stations, of used cars before they can be sold and re-registered and calls for correction, within ten days, of cars with defective equipment that are stopped by police.

Lt. Colonel George E. Davidson, Chief of Operations of the Maryland State Police, pointed out that if certification by a licensed inspection station of the correction of the defect is not received by the State Police within thirty days, the car owner will be reported to the Department of Motor Vehicles for immediate suspension of registration.

#### **Greenbelt Winter Swimming**

Greenbelt Winter Swimming will hold the last session of the first series this coming Sunday. The next series—consisting of at least 12 swimming hours—starts Sunday, Jan. 16, at the indoor pool of Columbia Union College in Takoma Park. Duff Marquardt is coaching, assisted by Richard Willes who takes care of the 8 year old and younger swimmers. Registration is with Leonie Penney (474-6315) and Jeanne Jones (474-6001): the registration fee is due the week of Jan. 9.

#### Lecture on Jewish Poetry

Mollee Kruger will present a lecture on "The Golden Age of Jewish Poetry" on Monday. January 10, at 8:30 p.m. in the Jewish Community Center. For information call Hendel, 345-8966.

## AGENDA

REGULAR MEETING OF CITY COUNCIL

#### Mon., January 10, 1966

- I ORGANIZATION
  - 1 Call to order 2 Roll call
  - 3 Minutes of Regular Meeting December 20, 1965
  - 4 Additions to Agenda by Councilmen and Manager
- II COMMUNICATIONS
- 5 Petitions and Requests 6 Administrative Reports
- 7 Committee Reports
  III OLD BUSINESS
- 8 Request Not to Surface Ivy Lane 9 School Sites
- 10 Traffic Signal Beltway Plaza
- IV NEW BUSINESS
- 11 Ordinance to Repeal Ordinances Nos. 18 and No. 30, providing for Establishing Rules and Regulation for the Operation of a Greenbelt Hospital
- 12 Ordinance to Repeal Ordinance Providing for Reports of Contagious Diseathe Public Health
  - the Public Health or Office of Town Manager

struction of the Prince Georges Hospital and 3 for highways.

Anti-blockbusting Law At the same meeting, Mrs. Hedy Harris of Greenbelt, Secretary of Prince Georges Citizens' Council, along with several other speakers, asked for the enactment of a state law prohibiting "blockbusting" pressure tactics used by some realtors to promote panic selling in integrated neighborhoods. measure is strongly supported by Delegate Meyer M. Emmanuel whose community, Ray Park (Chillum) had been subjected to this practice. Last summer, when his neighborhood was "flooded by solicitors who appealed to homeowners' fears and prejudices", Emmanuel asked the county commissioners to enact a local antiblockbusting ordinance. In answer to a question at the Laurel meeting, Commissioner Gladys N. Spellman stated that while she was in favor of such an ordinance, the

#### Extension of Sewer and Park Authorities

matter was still to be studied, .

At the second session, in Hyattsville, the bi-county Washington Suburban Sanitary Commission asked for authority to raise a \$10,000,000 bond issue. It also requested that the area served by it in the county, now 340 sq. miles, be extended to cover all of the county's 486 sq. mile area.

A similar request was voiced by the Maryland National Capital Park and Planning Commission at the third meeting, in Upper Marl-boro. They asked that the area for which the MNCPPC provides parkland and recreational facilities, by means of a special tax, be increased from 266 sq. miles to include the entire county except for the incorporated areas of Greenbelt, Laurel, and District Heights, which maintain their own parks and have therefore been exempt from the tax. In addition, they requested that the present ceiling for the park tax - 22 cents per \$100 assessed valuation - be lifted. The Commission's Chairman, William J. Stevens, also urged the repeal of the 1965 zoning reform law, but Delegate Royal Hart, leader of the delegation to the assembly later said that in his opinion such a repeal was unlikely.

#### Other Recommendations

Representatives of incorporated communities voiced their requests at the last hearing, in Forestville. Greenbelt Mayor Edgar Smith submitted a long list of recommendations intended to give municipalities a greater part in rezoning of land within their boundaries. Smith asked that the recommendations of municipalities be included as a major part of the record in rezoning cases, to be overridden only by a two-thirds majority of the board of commissioners. At this hearing, too, Mayor William W. Gullett of College Park requested the establishment of a commission by the Maryland General Assembly to define the areas of responsibility of cities and of the county which, he claimed, overlap at many points and thus cause costly duplication.

Other recommendations included that of Delegate William J. Goodman to make all the commissioners serve full time - rather than the board's chairman alone, as is the practice now - increase their salary and also increase their number to 7 or 9 (a point strongly opposed by the commissioners); the establishment of a "windfall profits tax" on the increase of a property's value resulting from its rezoning: the provision of free kindergartens in the county; and finally extension of the annual session of the State Legislature from 70 to 120 days. In view of the legislators' long agenda, this may well he one of the proposals to be adopted.

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#### Twenty-Five Years Ago

In November 1940, Greenbelt Consumer Services expanded its operation by opening a separate variety store and adding an enclosed garage to the filling station. GCS already owned the food store, a drug store, the movie theatre, a valet shop and beauty and barber shops . . .

President Roosevelt was re-elected, defeating Wendell Wil-26,000 votes were tabulated in Prince Georges County, and gave the President a majority of over 7,000 votes

The Town Council met to discuss the budget for the next - revenue and expenses were estimated at \$93,970 for

From an editorial in The Cooperator - "The plan for reorganizing Prince Georges County Schools is most encouraging. Maryland is near the bottom of the list of state school systems. Few states pay their teachers less, have lower teaching requirements, offer poorer plants. We have always felt that the 11 years of public education offered in Maryland failed to fit in properly with the 12 year courses of other states. There is no justification for having one less year of education than other states - we were just too poor to afford it." The new plan called for the present 6-3-3 arrangement of 12 years education . .

Receipts at the Greenbelt Post Office were nearing the \$10,000 mark required for city home delivery of mail

Santa Claus arrived in time for the Third Annual Christmas Tree Lighting. The Citizens Association held a New Year's Eve Dance; tickets cost 65 cents each . . .

#### Letters to the Editor

#### Boycott Kleins? To the Editor:

The News Review of December 23 contained the news that Klein's Department Store was not going to share the cost of erecting a traffic light on Greenbelt Road. This shocking news is evidence that Klein's is not making any effort to be a part of the community which supports them.

I am sure that all of us who use Greenbelt Road have experienced the many delays caused by the traffic going into or coming from Klein's. We have seen two and three policemen at work directing traffic, making it easy for shoppers to have access to this shoppers paradise. Did Klein's contribute to their cost? I doubt it. Judging from the traffic outside of Beltway Plaza this past holiday shopping season, Klein's did rather well. Greenbelt Police directed shoppers from all over the county, but Greenbelt paid for the police.

The amount necessary for the construction of the traffic light at the Klein's intersection would be a minor portion of the store's profits. Yet they refuse to contribute. I therefore make the following proposal.

Let every community - minded Greenbelt citizen stop shopping at Klein's Department Stores until Klein's agrees to contribute to the erection of a traffic light at their entrance.

Until they show, by this token of appreciation, that they in fact appreciate the support of this community and its citizens; that they want to be a part of the community in spirit as well as commercially, let us refuse to trade with them.

I am sure my feelings are shared by many Greenbelt citizens. who can, together, turn the statement "BOYCOTT KLEIN'S" into a rallying cry for the spirit of the community.

#### Michael Romanov

(Ed. Note-Klein's does bear the major portion of the cost of offduty police who direct traffic at the Greenbelt rd. and 62nd ave. entrance.)

#### The Rights of the Child To the Editor:

As a mother, I feel impelled to speak out in defense of the child. Society is so constructed that certain crimes would not only be punished if committed, but are almost impossible to commit. Yet in

the case of tiny children, a crime is committed in Greenbelt every day, and is not regarded as a crime, but as a necessity of community living. What claim for damages, what question of injury during work (the work of self-creation) with permanent injury resulting therefrom might be invoked, if some day the infant could bring himself like an adult before the tribunal of social

The rights of the adult are recognized. Not so the littlest child. As a mother. I feel strongly that the rights of the weak shoud be protected. We must have a justice for all, not only for those who can protest and defend themselves.

I am speaking of the nightly electronic monster that invades the restful sleep of helpless Greenbelt infants, and the tired mothers who must calm their fears each night. Neither can defend themselves.

The electronic fire sirens that wake little children each night do not serve man. Man serves them. Who can ever return to these little ones that peace and innocent sleep that is forever lost to them? Who can restore to their tired mothers that sleep which should rightfully be theirs each night? Who can reconcile to their conscience deeds of such grave injustice without recognizing them as such? What minor forms of oppression shall we not readily condone in our dealings with the child?

We are told that the situation will soon be alleviated by the use of in-home fire alarm intercoms for those concerned. How much more sleep must be lost by these little ones before this is done?

Let those concerned hurry to the defense of those who cannot defend themselves. The same noble sentiments that inspire man to rise in the middle of the night to defend that which he holds dearest should herein be invoked in defense of the helpless child and its

A Mother of eight

#### Thanks

To the Editor:

On behalf of the Greenbelt Fire Dept. I want to thank those who helped us with our annual Xmas Tree Burning. Those present had a good time, free refreshments and saw Walt Disney's "Alice in Won-

Special thanks are due City Management for providing a dump

#### Approval for 33-Story High-Rise Apartments

The Prince Georges Planning Board approved on Dec. 22, plans for 4 high-rise apartments which will ultimately become the tallest buildings in the county. Indeed, their 295-ft height will exceed by 7 feet that of the TLC Capitol and by 33 feet an apartment building nearing completion in Montgomery County. The old Post Office building, the Masonic Shrine in Alexandria and of course the Washington Monument (555 ft.) are among the very few taller structures in the Washington area.

The new apartments will be part of "Prince Georges Town" a 105acre complex adjacent to Prince Georges Plaza. At present only one building in the complex, an office building, is complete; a scale model of the entire project is on display in its lobby. The preliminary Master Plan for Area 13, the southern boundary of which bisects the complex, called for an urban center at this location, served by future interstate highway 95 and possibly by rapid rail transit. Actual construction of the apartments, which will ultimately comprise over 1000 dwelling units, is due to begin in February 1966. Construction is also due to begin in 1966 of a 9-story office building and a large movie theater.

The new high-rise towers will certainly add a prominent feature to the otherwise dull suburban skyline. Their effect on close neighbors is another story again. County regulations demand that high-rise buildings be set back from the road a distance at least equal to their height, but permission has been granted here to somewhat reduce this distance. In the present case, the reduction in setback is justified by the overall plan and by the high-density character of its surroundings. It is to be hoped that if high-rise apartments become less of a curiosity elsewhere in the county, their proper spacing will be rigidly enforced.

#### LWV Meeting Jan. 17

"Equality of Opportunity in Education and Employment" will be the topic of discussion at local unit meetings of the League of Women Voters of Prince Georges County. The meetings climax a two year study of the item adopted at the 1964 national convention by the membership.

Mrs. Ira Klafter, county chairman, said discussion at the units will center around criteria that can be applied to federal programs providing equality of opportunity in these areas. Leagues all over the country will be asking themselves the same questions in order to reach national consensus on this important problem.

The Greenbeltsville unit will meet on Monday. Jan. 17, 8 p.m. at the home of Mrs. Lee Davis, 40 Lakeside Dr.

League meetings are open to the other units call Mrs. Sanford Blllet 736-9369 or League office, 449-4424.

#### New Restaurant At Plaza

A 150-seat prototype Hot Shoppes Restaurant is now under construction at the Beltway Plaza. Teletray service will also be available. It is expected that the restaurant will be completed by the middle of 1966.

truck and to Deputy Chief Frank Bequette who did a fast organizing

We burn Xmas trees every year because we believe it is better to have one big CONTROLLED bonfire than many little ones that can cause immeasurable pain and loss of life and money.

If your tree was not burned last Sunday, we urge you to take it down and properly dispose of it. Dry trees burn almost explosively; get them out of the house!!

Chief Dutton reminds everyone to Please! make sure the match or cigarette ash you throw out is DEAD. A recent fire in the community was caused by such "burned-out" items.

Yours for a fire-safe new year, Vic Fisher

#### Point of View . . . . by Dorothy Sucher

I have been recuperating from minor surgery on my foot, which kept me in bed during the Christmas vacation. It was heartwarming to realize how many people were praying for my recovery, notably my husband and children, who were suffering agonies of foot itch and disorientation (caused respectively by lack of clean socks and inability to find anything around the house), and the skeleton crew struggling to fill the columns of the News Review while most of the staff was out of town.

A stern God saw fit to answer their prayers.

For years I had searched for the perfect disease and in December I found it: a "ganglion," or cyst, located on the foot just inconveniently enough for the doctor to decree its removal.

There is something alarming about most ailments. Not so the homely ganglion, regarded in the medical profession as a challenge to every doctor's mastery of anecdote and comparative literature.

"I remember one of my professors saying, 'always treasure your Anatomy textbook' (mused my obstetrician, when he'd asked me if my feet swelled much and I'd replied, "No, but there's this bump"), because some day a patient is going to walk into your office with a ganglion and you're going to reach for your Anatomy book and whack that ganglion so hard it'll dissolve.' '

My G. P. reacted differently when I mentioned the bump while he was writing out a prescription for cough syrup. Prodding the ganglion thoughtfully, he inquired: "Are you religious? Some people hit them with the family Bible. On the other hand, some like to use the Complete Works of Shakespeare Basically, it's a matter of taste."

Time passed. The ganglion grew, pressing on the nerve until one day my big toe went numb. "Looks like we've got a ganglion," pronounced the internist. "You know, in the old days we'd have smacked it with the unabridged dictionary." shook his head regretfully. "Might break a bone if I missed, though. I'll refer you to a surgeon."

\* \* The surgeon - naturally enough, considering his line of work wasn't the bookish type. "When would you like to go into the hospital?" he asked.

"But doctor!" I cried, dismayed. "I thought you could do it in the

"Too big. You're going to have to stay off your feet for a week."

But I can if you do it now," I protested. "My husband won't be teaching during the Christmas recess, and he's sure he can manage the house and the kids."

"Well, all right," said the surgeon. 'Lie down. But remember-positively no housework for you until the stitches come out." He summoned the nurse. "Actually, the only reason to do it in the hospital is to confine the patient to bed when it's

The local anesthetic quickly took effect. I concentrated on the obituaries in an old copy of Newsweek and tried to ignore the sound effects at the foot of the table.

"Just look at this!" Snip. Crunch. "A beauty, eh?"

"My, my.

Worship Service

Snap. Plonk. Snip. "Whoops, I think we've hit the jackpot." Pop! "Ah, here's the artery. See it pulsing?

"That big one over there?"

Scrape. Plink. "Right. Wouldn't want to slice into that by mistake, would we?"

"I should say not! It'd make an awful mess of the office."

The next morning I could hobble around tidying my room, but I was glad to crawl back into bed when I'd finished. At lunchtime my hushand brought me breakfast on a tray. He'd had difficulties with the glass percolator, which had overheated on the stove and broken, flooding the kitchen with coffee.

"You'd better get up earlier tomorrow," I suggested, as he smeared burn ointment on his arms. "It takes a while to get the knack of cooking breakfast quickly. Oh, and would you just rinse the coffee out of your pajamas and hang them on the line?"

The children played in whispers so they wouldn't disturb me. My bandage had impressed them.

By the third day I was bored. I had neglected to lay in a good stock of books, and the libraries were closed for Christmas.

I fell to brooding, becalmed at the low point of my convalescence. The source of my discontent was all too clear: years of housework and motherhood had unfitted me for leisure. The inner resources I'd thought I'd had were gone. My brain was rotting. Was the process irreversible? How far had the decay progressed?

Yet even these speculations palled after a while, and in desperation I found myself writing a whodunit. I'd never finish it-how long can you drag out a convalescence?-but in the meantime I was happy and busy, working my friends into the cast of characters and killing off the ones I don't like.

On the sixth day my husband collapsed across the foot of the bed.

"What's for supper, dear?" I "TV dinners again," he groaned.

"I don't think I can go on like this. I've had heartburn five days in a row."

"So have I. I expect it's your cooking. Cheer up! The stitches come out tomorrow."

"God! Another 24 hours. I've never appreciated you enough."

"Nice and clean," said the surgeon approvingly. "Any problems?" "I don't thing so," I replied. "Now tell me, how can I arrange to have this done once a year?"

He chuckled as he snipped and swabbed, but made no answer. I wonder why. Could he possibly

have imagined I was joking?

#### Moore-Mancuso

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd L. Moore of 9-K Ridge Rd. announce the engagement of their daughter, Patricia Ann, to Samuel Mancuso, son of Mr. and Mrs. Salvatore Mancuso of Hyattsville, Md. Miss Moore, a graduate of Maryland University, is a Spanish teacher at Crossland High School in Camp Springs, Md. Her fiance is a C.P.A. with M. B. Hamton & Co., Washington, D.C. A July wedding is planned.

#### **COMMUNITY CHURCH**

Rev. Kenneth Wyatt, Minister

9:30 am. - Church school grade 5 through adults.

10:45 a.m. - Morning Worship. Guest speaker The Rev. War-ren Hilfiker. Church School, infants through grade 4.

4.00 p.m. - Ecumenical Worship. Berwyn Presbyterian 6:30 p.m. - Senior High Fellow-

7:30 p.m. - Board Meetings followed by Church Council

Meeting at 8:45 p.m. Monday - 8:00 pm. Cheverly Community Church, Church

Unity Discussion.

(A United Church of Christ)

9:30 a.m.

11:00 a.m.

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## Our Neighbors

There was a happy reunion when Mr. and Mrs. Al Nuzzo, 12-G Ridge, visited with Lorraine's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Mullen, of Fort Lauderdale, Florida, during the holidays. The Nuzzos took this opportunity to visit other Greenbelters now living in the sunshine state-Mrs. Pauline Juliano and Mr. and

Elaine Skolnik - 474-6060

and A. J. joined their parents. Back from visiting with relatives in Oswego and Schenectady, New York, are Virginia Beauchamp and children, Edith, George and John.

Mrs. Andrus. The Nuzzo boys, Bob

Congratulations and a warm welcome to new neighbors, Alexander and Sandra Barnes who reside at 19-B Hillside. The Barnes were married last Saturday. Alexander is a program analyst at NASA and Sandra teaches English at the Annapolis High School.

We are very proud of the students of Greenbelt Junior High who have devoted their time and energies to help Children's Hospital. Last week Cindy Depew, president of the Student Council, Janet Alcorn, treasurer, and Carolyn Winkler, Student Council representative presented Donald F. Smith, Administrator of Children's Hospital with a check for \$584.74. Earlier this year, the students raised another \$470 for this, their favorite cause.

Birthday preetings to Pamela and Barbara Rosetti, 4 Pinecrest. Pamela will be six years old and Barbara eight this week.

Happy birthday to Alan Dennis, 3 Pinecrest, who was eleven years old on December 31.

Glad to hear that Mrs. Charlotte Grego is back from the hospital. Visiting the Fletcher family, over the holidays, 12 Pinecrest, was

Jim's mother from the mid-west. It was unfortunate that the holiday season was marred by thefts of Christmas bulbs, wreaths and

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Glad to hear that Joe Mack Shubert, 1-B Gardenway, is over his recent illness.

Former Greenbelters Mr. and Mrs. Sal Barile of Berwyn Heights announce the arrival of Philip on Dec. 30. Philip weighed 6 lbs., 1 oz. and joins a brother and sister.

Good luck and a very happy New Year to Greenbelt's veteran of Vietnam, Ted Henry, son of Mrs. Mary Henry, 9-M Ridge. Henry is on the West Coast and will shop out again on the USS Constellation. He was awarded a citation and medal for hazardous duty from June to Nov. 1964.

#### Cake Decorating Class

The Co-op Homemakers Open House will feature "Cake Decorating" with Lawn Shorter, on Wednesday, January 12, at 1:30 p.m. in the Co-op Hospitality Room above the store. Everyone is wel-

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#### Films at Regional Library

Prince George's County Memorial Library will present a series of short, outstanding, contemporary films on Thursday nights, commencing Jan. 7, in the Meeting Room of the Regional Library in Hyattsville, according to Mrs. Elizabeth Abolin, Coordinator of Adult Services.

This series has been carefully chosen from the library's collection of some 300 16mm films by the Adult Services staff to appeal to a wide range of interests.

Mrs. Abolin stressed that the films start promptly at 8 p.m. There is no charge to the public.

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#### Recreation Review

by Richard Stevenson Director of Recreation

#### Roller Skating

Roller skating is scheduled each Monday at 4 p.m. for the 1st and 2nd graders; Wednesday for the 3rd and 4th graders and Friday for the 5th and 6th graders. Junior High skating is held on Friday nights at 7:30 p.m. in conjunction with the Junior Teen Club activities. See you

#### Concert Band

Do you play an instrument? Then the Greenbelt Concert Band is for you. Rehearsals are scheduled each Monday evening at 8 p.m. at the Youth Center. See Mr. Carle, the band conductor.

#### Basketball

Tonight, the Men's "A" League resumes league play with two games at the Center Elementary School Gym. Goddard Space Flight Center tangles with Colonial Real Estate at 7 p.m. and National Security Agency plays Government Printing Office at 8:15 p.m.

Monday night, in the "B" League, the Bullets moved into a commanding lead with an overtime victory over the Knicks 55-48. The Lakers moved into second place with an overtime win over the Celtics 67-66. League standings are as follows:

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Bullets			5	1
Lakers			3	3
Celtics			2	4
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Lakers at 7:30 p.m. and Bullets vs Knicks at 8:30 p.m. These games are held at the Youth Center, admission free, everyone is invited.

#### Boys' Club

The Greenbelt Boys' Club teams in the Prince George's County League play their home games each Wednesday evening at the Youth Center. Come on down and support our teams. Let's show them we back them.

#### Girls' Basketball

Last call for girls 15 and under to sign up for the Greenbelt entry in the County League. All girls interested in playing, come down to the Youth Center Saturday, Jan. 8, at 10 a.m. for practice.

#### **Ballet and Gymnastics Registration**

Registration for Ballet and Gymnastics classes will be held Saturday, Jan. 8, from 10 a.m. to 12 noon at the Youth Center. Classes will run for 10 sessions beginning Saturday, January 15th. Miss Susan Ellerin will instruct Ballet and Mr. Alan Christy, Gymnastics.

#### Greenbelt Grab-bag by Punchin' Judy

When I was adding up my income tax return I used my push button touch-tone telephone instead of the adding machine. Do you think I will get a tax refund? Sorefinger

Dear Sorefinger:

I dunno, but you could try phoning Internal Revenue on your adding machine.

#### Dear Judy:

According to your name, it seems to me we two are in the same bus-What is your favorite iness. punch?

C. Clay

P. J.

Dear C. Clay: Pineapple and grapefruit.

#### Dear Judy:

I read in one of those columns that egg cartons are good for storing Christmas decorations, but my tree is too big to put in an egg carton. What can I do? Thrifty

Dear Thrifty:

Have you tried ostrich eggs?

Do you think the New York transportation strike will spread to Greenbelt?

Commuter

#### Dear Computer:

Well, if it does, we'll be without a subway.

P. J.

#### 1966 Charter Kick-off

Albert K. Herling will speak at a joint meeting of the Prince Georges Home Rule Charter Committee and Project Marlboro Home Rule Charter Committee on Monday, January 10, at 8 p.m., at the Pepsi Cola Building near Kenilworth Ave., Cheverly

#### Vietnam Freedom Rally

To demonstrate to the Nation and the world that the overwhelming majority of the American people are behind our fighting men in Vietnam, the International Youth Crusade for Freedom in Vietnam is sponsoring a patriotic rally in Washington's Constitution Hall on Jan. 8, at 8 p.m. Admission is free.

Major speakers at the rally will include Sen. Thomas Dodd (D.-Conn.), Sen. Karl Mundt (R.-S.D.), Rep. Armistead Selden (D.-Ala.), Rep. William Brock (R.-Tenn.) and Adm. Arleigh Burke (Ret.).

#### Health Tips for Students

Is your child having trouble keeping up his grades in school this year?

There may be a physical reason for his poor record, says Today's Health, the magazine of the American Medical Association.

Does the child squint, strain, rub his eyes or complain that they hurt, water or itch? Does he hold his book very close to his face when he reads? Has it been a long time since his last eye test? He may have defective vision. He may not be able to read the teacher's notes on the blackboard

Does he often ask you to repeat a question or statement? Does he turn his head to one side as he listens? He may have defective hearing. It might be as simple as impacted wax in the ears, which can be removed by your physician in a simple office procedure.

If your child isn't performing properly in his school work, ask yourself whether it is time for an examination to determine whether his problems are caused by a physical condition that might be corrected.

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